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For: PACKET SWITCHING SYSTEM	)	
AND METHOD	)	
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated February 23, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant requests that the outstanding rejection be reconsidered and withdrawn in view of the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.